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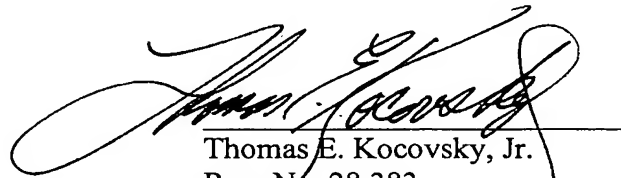
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-0308.

An early indication that all filing requirements have been met for this application is earnestly solicited.

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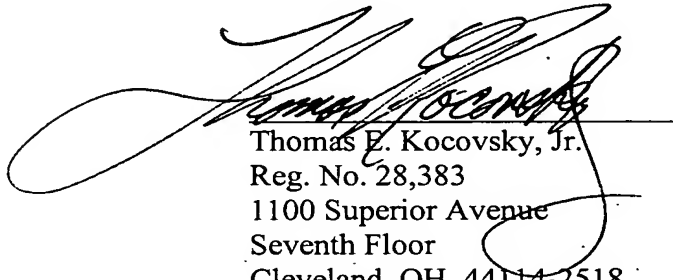
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Early notice that the filing requirements have been met and an early allowance of this application is respectfully requested.

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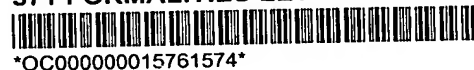
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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

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